

JOINT COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

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MINUTES

PROPOSED

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Date of Meeting: Wednesday, December 6, 2017

Time: 8:30 a. m.

Location: Rooms 402 & 403 Capitol Bldg.

Members Present: Representative Steven Johnson (Chair), Representative John Reilly,
Representative Shane Hernandez, Representative Andy Schor, Representative
Jeremy Moss

Senator Jim Stamas, (Alternate Chair), Senator Tory Rocca, Senator Mike Kowall,
Senator Morris W. Hood III, Senator Curtis Hertel, Jr.

At 8:35 a.m. the Chair, Representative Johnson, called the meeting to order.

Representative Reilly moved that the minutes from the February 22, 2017 meeting be adopted.
The minutes were adopted without objection.

**JCAR # 17-38 Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs, Liquor Control Commission—Licensing
and Regulatory Affairs (2017-025 LR)**

The following individuals testified in support of the proposed rescission:

Julie Wendt, Liquor Control Commission
Stephen Ormond, Clark Hill

The following individuals testified in opposition to the proposed rescission:

Representative Joseph Bellino, 17th District
Walid Fadda, Grand Rapids
Mike Tobias, Michigan Alcohol Policy

Chris Asmar, Northland Party Store, Detroit
Gerry Hoffman, Michigan Neighborhoods, Kalamazoo
Brian Zetouna
Rishi Makkar
Andy Arabo, AFPD, West Bloomfield
Jay Sharma, Portage
Vik Bawa, Richland
Scott Batris, Saginaw
Matthew Al-Sheikh, Clarkston
Steve Sheena, Dearborn
Kevin Kallabut, Lake Orion

The following individuals did not testify but indicated opposition to the proposed rescission

Kizy Kily, Chesterfield
Nathan Kozol, Macomb
Norman Kasmikha, Shelby Twp.
Jerry Shaba, West Bloomfield
George Abro, Total Beverage, Southfield
Kado Kado, Grand Rapids
Jeanie Kado, Grand Rapids
Richard Kado, Grand Rapids
Steve Barno, Grand Rapids
Gus Semma, Canton Market, Gratiot Market, Milan
Hilal Bacall, Conant Liq.
Michael Bacall, Detroit
Mazin Bacall, Detroit
Mark Bacall, Detroit
Fateh Singh, Hastings
Stop & Shop, Hastings
Barculo Liquor, Zeeland
Lakhwinder Singh, Lainsburg
Hudson Gas LLC
Sunoco, Sunfield
Round Lake Gas LLC, Laingsburg
Suresh C. Bhargava, Alpee Inc., Praal Inc.
Karamfit Singh, Rockford
Paul Makkar, United Small Business Owners Assoc., Grand Rapids
Kay Makkar, Grand Rapids
Mark Shammami, Walled Lake
Harpreet Multani, Qwik N EZ, Grand Rapids
Harbhajan Multani, Kalamazoo
Kirby Cobb, Bawa LLC

Mewa Singh Palia, Portage
Mike Acho, Waterford
Naji Abdal, Sterling Heights
Ron Jarvy, Mt. Clemens
Zachary Collins, Independent Retailers
Riad Dado, Port Huron
Basil Jarbu, Mt. Clemens
Gurbachan Singh, Grand Rapids
Baljeet Kaur, Grand Rapids
Jasbir Singh, Grand Rapids
Star Singh, Wyoming
Sirat Liquor, Grandville
Gurmeet Singh, Grand Rapids
Tony Batou, Shelby Twp.
Jack Zetouna, Clarkston
Gus Zetouna, Rochester Hills
Heyden Food, Detroit
Adel Semon, Detroit
Alaa Zora, Washington, MI
Sam Yatooma, Detroit
Steve Mattia, Clinton Twp.
Johnny Mattia, MaComb Twp.
Raghad Najim, Joe's Market, Ypsilanti
Amer Jajow, Southfield
Harpal Singh, Battle Creek
Mike Zora, Ypsilanti
Muhsin Atty
Dorait Alton, Dominick's Market, Taylor
Eddie Foumia, Park Place Wine, Southfield
Karim Jarbo
Salwan Kesto, Eastown Liquor, Sterling Heights
Omar Jarbo, Beebe's Market, Detroit
Dhafer Jarbo, St. Clair Shores
Eddie Zeer, Southfield
George Mekhael, Brighton
Satvinder Singh
Gurbinder Singh, Saginaw
Nirmal Singh, Grand Rapids
Balvinder Singh, Byron Center
Mukhwinder Singh, Saginaw
Kulwinder Singh, Rockford
Satpal Singh, Grand Rapids

Gurwinder Singh, Portage
Harpreet Singh, Saginaw
Hardip Singh, Saginaw
Balwinder Singh, Mt. Pleasant
Jaswant Singh, Portage
Dale Singh, Saginaw
Jalal Samona, Farmington Hills
Amir Samona, W. Bloomfield
Sykhindabir Singh, Saginaw
Hari Singh, Saginaw
Sarmad Yousef, Detroit
George Mekhael, S. Lyon
Surinder Singh, Grand Rapids
Knapp's Party Store, Grand Rapids
Khalid Yomo
Eddib Parrou, Detroit
Billy's Corner, Grand Rapids
Khem Uirk, Gull Party Store, Kalamazoo

The following individuals did not testify but indicated support of the proposed rescission:

Jason Canvasser, Lansing
Del Chenault, Lansing
Bret Mar, Spartan Stores
Ken McClure, Kroger Corporation

Written comments in opposition to the proposed rescission were submitted by the following:

East Paris Discount Liquor, Kentwood
Jennifer Yoon, T&J Party Store, Kentwood
Buddy's Liquor, Kentwood
Joe's Party Store, Kentwood
Tiny Giant Store, Grand Rapids
The Liquor Store, Grand Rapids
Y & K Party Store, Grand Rapids
Kentwood Liquor, Kentwood
Uncle Fred Party Store, Grand Rapids
Aiken Liquor, Kentwood
Quickstop, Kentwood
Rishi's International Beverage, Grand Rapids

Written comments in support of the proposed revision were submitted by the following:

Andy Deloney, Chairman, Michigan Liquor Control Commission

Representative Reilly moved that the meeting be adjourned.
Meeting adjourned at 10:00 a.m.

Respectfully submitted by,

Marge Martin
JCAR counsel/committee clerk